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MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL STATE DIRECTORS; ME THROUGH NC

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SUBJECT: WEEKLY BLACK SEA BASS QUOTA REPORT (NO. 10)

1999 BLACK SEA BASS REPORT (POUNDS); QUARTER I

State	Late Entries	Week Ending 13-Mar-99	Period Cumulative Total (to Date)	1999 Quarter I Quotas	Landed %
ME	0	0	0		
NH	0	0	0		
MA	0	0	523		
RI	210	3,885	50,011		
CT	-24	182	6,239		
NY	0	2,194	42,876		
NJ	780	7,740	126,424		
DE	0	0	23		
MD	0	12	2,589		
VA	26,397	30,227	210,894		
NC	222	1,479	52,727		
Total	27,585	45,719	492,306	1,168,860	42.1

Notes:

The Federal commercial trip limit for Winter I is currently 11,000 lbs.

Massachusetts has a 12" minimum fish size.

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